

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, DC 20268-0001

Before Commissioners:

Robert G. Taub, Acting Chairman;
Tony Hammond, Vice Chairman;
Mark Acton;
Ruth Y. Goldway; and
Nanci E. Langley

Competitive Product Prices
Global Plus 1C Contracts (MC2012-6)
Negotiated Service Agreement

Docket No. CP2014-40

ORDER GRANTING MOTION FOR TEMPORARY RELIEF
AND APPROVING MODIFICATION THREE EXTENDING EXPIRATION DATE

(Issued April 9, 2015)

The negotiated service agreement approved in this proceeding (Existing Agreement) is scheduled to expire April 25, 2015.¹ The Postal Service filed a motion for temporary relief and notice of filing modification three to the Existing Agreement extending the expiration date.²

The Postal Service expects to initiate a new rate docket, in which the Postal Service would file the successor to the agreement that is the subject of this docket. The

¹ Order No. 2370, Order Granting Motion for Temporary Relief and Approving Modification Two Extending Expiration Date, February 26, 2015, at 2.

² Motion of the United States Postal Service for Temporary Relief and Notice of the United States Postal Service of Filing Modification Three to a Global Plus 1C Contract Negotiated Service Agreement, April 8, 2015 (Motion).

Postal Service intends for the effective date of that successor agreement to be the date that the changes in rates of general applicability and related classification changes for competitive products filed in Docket No. CP2015-33 go into effect.³

Attached to the Motion is modification three which the customer and the Postal Service have executed. Modification three provides that the agreement that is the subject of this docket will expire on the day prior to the date of any change in the non-discounted published postage for IPA, ISAL, GXG, PMEI, and/or PMI, thereby eliminating the earlier potential termination date. Motion at 1.

The Motion is granted. The Existing Agreement is modified to continue through, and will expire on, the day prior to the date of any change in the non-discounted published postage for IPA, ISAL, GXG, PMEI, and/or PMI, unless terminated earlier pursuant to terms of the agreement. Temporary relief and modification of the Existing Agreement is in the public interest and will not prejudice any person.

It is ordered:

1. The Motion of the United States Postal Service for Temporary Relief, filed April 8, 2015, is granted.
2. The Commission approves the existing Global Plus 1C negotiated service agreement, as modified.

By the Commission.

Ruth Ann Abrams
Acting Secretary

³ See Docket Nos. R2015-4 and CP2015-33, Notice of the United States Postal Service of Delayed Implementation of First-Class Mail, Special Services, and Competitive Prices, March 31, 2015.